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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated October 10, 2007, please consider the following remarks.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.